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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby respectfully request the status of the above-referenced patent application. Applicants previously requested status on July 25, 2005 (a copy of which is enclosed for reference).

The last correspondence received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office was an Updated Filing Receipt, mailed June 17, 2004, and a Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document, mailed October 21, 2004.

Also enclosed with this Second Status Request is a Return Postcard to acknowledge receipt of this mailing.

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